



East Haddon CEVC Primary School

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'Love each other as I have loved you' John 15:12

Our school virtues are: Love, Resilience, Thankfulness, Forgiveness, Kindness, Honesty & Respect.

Our British Values are: Tolerance, Rule of Law, Liberty, Mutual Respect, Democracy.

Our current PSHE topic is 'Healthy Me'.

Newsletter w/e 17th April 2026

Mrs Truslove writes

Welcome back to the Summer Term – where on earth has this year gone? This is always a super busy few months with many events including May Day, Class Open Assemblies and Sports Day. Please keep an eye on the newsletter and website for dates, times and additional information. Please be aware that some dates may change as we move through the term.

I was delighted to receive my list of new entrants for Reception 2026 yesterday, and look forward to welcoming families old and new to our family. We will be in touch soon with dates for this term, and September, and are looking forward to meeting you and your children in the coming weeks.

The Friends of East Haddon School would like to invite you to come to school with Crazy hair on Friday 24th April in exchange for a bottle donation for their May Day tombola (any sealed and in date bottle is gratefully received). They are also sending out a plea for any soft toys that could find a new home on the soft toy tombola.

Mrs Truslove/Mrs Banks – Red class

Holiday photographs and souvenirs

Thank you for sending in your children's memory photos last week. Next week we will be talking about holidays and our memories of holidays. Please can the children bring in a photograph and/or a souvenir from a holiday they have been on to share with the class.

Thank you

Junk Modelling

Our junk modelling box is looking rather sad and in need of replenishing. If you have any small, clean boxes, tubes, bottles etc at home we would love to take them off your hands! Thank you

Phonics

Reception have started 'Phase 4' of our Little Wandle programme. This week they have started reading words with short vowels (CVCC words). They have also been introduced to the new tricky words - said, so, have and like.

Year One have started revising previously taught sounds in preparation for the Year One Phonics Screening assessment in June. They have revised the following sounds/ spelling patterns- 'ie' e.g. pie, 'i-e' e.g. time, 'o' e.g. go and 'o-e' e.g. home.

Mrs Gibbins – Green class

Welcome back, this term we will be looking at the life of Isaac Newton, the different jobs that scientists might do and a local study, please let the office know if you are **not** happy for your child to join us on walks round the village. This could be at any point over the next few weeks. More details are on the website. Times tables and division next week are the 2's.

Homework is in the blue book.

PE continues as before on Monday and Thursday. It is likely to be outside where possible this term.

Mrs Pickles/Mr Wilkinson – Blue Class

After Easter in maths we will be working on Data Handling and may move onto Measures and Money.

Times tables: We are all continuing with mixed times tables – all tables up to 12x12.

Homework this week: The spelling homework sheet (week 25) **for Years 4 and 5 only** and:

Yr6: Maths: One Reasoning Paper (it would be helpful if this could be completed in the suggested time but do not worry if this isn't possible). They are allowed help but please indicate where this has been given.

English: A Grammar paper (it would be helpful if this could be completed in the suggested time but do not worry if this isn't possible). They are allowed help but please indicate where this has been given.

Yr5: Maths: A sheet with mixed questions.

English: 2 pages in the Grammar book on Apostrophes in Plural Possession and Its/It's (p.58-59).

Yr4: Maths: A sheet with mixed questions.

English: 2 pages in the CGP book on Its/It's (p.56-57).

Sports

Well done to the team of year 3/4 children who took part in the South Northants and Daventry tag rugby competition on Wednesday at Towcestrians Rugby Club.



In what was an excellently organised and very busy day, with well over 30 schools and hundreds of children present, the team played some super rugby in the 8 matches they played. Considering it was the first experience of competitive rugby for most of the children involved, I was really proud of how they got stuck in and worked really well to support each other in attack and defence.

I'm sure there were some tired legs on Wednesday evening and Thursday morning but they had a great time, even managing to practise some gymnastics in between matches.



Congratulations to Kitty, Bertie, Bryn, Alexandra, Austin, Niamh, Oscar and Ave.

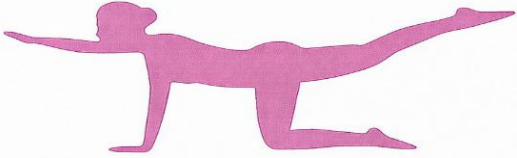
Local Events

Please note that the school does not accept responsibility for community-run events.

PILATES

WITH TAMMY-ANN

@EAST HADDON VILLAGE HALL



THURSDAY @ 2 PM TO 3PM
STILL SPACES AVAILABLE

Stott Pilates trained with 25 years experience
in the fitness industry.
Class for all needs

**FOR MORE INFORMATION
TO BOOK CALL
07939548121**

For more information about me, Tammy-Ann.com

Please see the flyers attached to the email regarding:

Pacesetters – 2025/26 Clubs

Academic Year 2025-26

TERM 5	Training Day	Monday	13 th April
	Re-open	Tuesday	14 th April
	May Day	Monday	4 th May
	Close	Friday	22 nd May
TERM 6	Re-open	Monday	1 st June
	Close	Friday	17 th July
	Training Day	Monday	20 th July

Academic Year 2026-27

TERM 1	Training Day	Tuesday	1 st September
	Re-open	Wednesday	2 nd September
	Close	Friday	23 rd October
TERM 2	Training Day	Monday	2 nd November
	Re-open	Tuesday	3 rd November
	Close	Friday	18 th December
TERM 3	Training Day	Monday	4 th January
	Re-open	Tuesday	5 th January
	Close	Friday	12 th February
TERM 4	Re-open	Monday	22 nd February
	Close	Thursday	25 th March
TERM 5	Training Day	Monday	12 th April
	Re-open	Tuesday	13 th April
	May Day	Monday	3 rd May
	Close	Friday	28 th May
TERM 6	Training Day	Monday	7 th June
	Re-open	Tuesday	8 th June
	Close	Wednesday	21 st July

